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Iowa Finance Authority Seeks Nominations for 2017 HousingIowa Awards

Outstanding Iowa Housing Initiatives to be Honored at HousingIowa Conference September 6

(DES MOINES) – The Iowa Finance Authority is seeking nominations for the tenth annual HousingIowa Awards. The HousingIowa Awards recognize outstanding programs, projects and individuals in all sectors of Iowa's housing industry for their leadership and innovation in advancing affordable housing opportunities in Iowa. Award nominations are due July 14.

Award nominations are judged by an independent panel of judges. The 2017 award winners will be announced at the 2017 HousingIowa Conference on Sept. 6 in Cedar Rapids.

Award categories include:

- Multifamily Housing Development
- Single-Family Housing Development
- Special Needs Housing Development
- Innovation
- Legislative Friend of Housing Award
- Kay Anderson Friend of Iowa Award

More information about the 2017 HousingIowa Awards and the HousingIowa Conference is available at HousingIowaConference.com.

The Iowa Legislature created the Iowa Finance Authority, the state's housing finance agency, in 1975 to undertake programs to assist in the attainment of housing for low- and moderate-income Iowans. Since then, the Iowa Finance Authority's role has grown to include approximately 40 programs. The Iowa Finance Authority is a self-supporting public agency whose mission is to finance, administer, advance and preserve affordable housing and to promote community and economic development for Iowans.

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